

Lions look back proudly on 25 years of community service

Elk Point and District Lions Club looked back proudly on a quarter century of service to the community this past weekend, as they celebrated their 25th Anniversary at a dinner and ceremony.

The organization was chartered in 1971 by 22 members. Only one of the charter members is still part of the club. Lawrence Modin was given a standing ovation for his dedication to Lionism, and was later presented with a commemorative plaque by District Governor Gord Topper and a gift from the club. Carl Heinemann and John Oryschuk were honored for 20 years of membership.

Several other charter members who are no longer part of the group were honored guests at the occasion, including their first president, Allan Buck, Elk Point Mayor Ed Buck and St. Paul Lion Terry Roszell. Roszell presented a plaque to the club on behalf of the St. Paul Lions.

Past members Ken Astill, Bruce Thornton and Max Borowski were also recognized.

Walter Saranchuk, recipient of a Melvin Jones Fellowship, was applauded for this great

honor.

Lions President Keith Campbell welcomed members and guests to "this milestone occasion" and thanked Marshall Kachmar for organizing the celebration. Kachmar, who served as MC for the evening, in turn thanked Rev. Norman Hartley for the fine invocation which started the event.

Mayor Buck brought greetings from the Town, and expressed regret that his busy schedule had meant giving up Lions membership some years ago. "It's unbelievable what the Lions Club has done through the years," he said. As a member for approximately 15 years, he enjoyed the camaraderie and fellowship with fellow members, and the many functions he was part of. "It all started about 35 feet away from here, in Jean's restaurant," he recalled, adding very special thanks on behalf of the community.

District Governor Gord Topper introduced the evening's guest speaker, Lion Marg Young of Grand Centre. Ms Young congratulated "the 22 men, who 25 years ago joined the largest organization in the world." She applauded

their considerable efforts over the years, from putting artificial ice in the arena many years ago, to their \$11,500 donation to the same arena in 1995 and \$18,000 donation to the Golf Club. In 1980, the Elk Point and District Lions agreed to sponsor the Elk Point Lioness Club, with Ms Young on hand to help start that organization. "These ladies enhanced the Lions, and worked hard with them."

Allan Buck, first president of the Elk Point Lions, "can't believe it's that long... when we started this, we barely knew what Lions were. He congratulated Modin, Saranchuk, Heinemann and Oryschuk on their achievements, and looked back to the charter night — "a moving candlelight ceremony" — and learning many things over the years, including to put warm water in the dunk tank.

Carol Lee of the Elk Point Lioness Club thanked the Lions for their support and added her congratulations, and Gord Topper added thanks on behalf of Lions International.

Members of St. Paul, Northern Lights, Grand Centre, Camrose and Bonnyville Lions Clubs brought congratulations.



CHARTER MEMBER HONORED — Lawrence Modin, the only one of 22 charter members of Elk Point and District Lions who is still a member of the club, is presented with a plaque by District Governor Gord Topper.

Where to go from here? Chamber's future uncertain

When only half a quorum showed up for last Wednesday's regular meeting of Elk Point Chamber of Commerce, those who were in attendance asked themselves if there really was a future for that organization.

Extremely low attendance at the Annual Meeting, February 7, resulted in the deferment of an election of a president or secretary for the group. With only half an executive and not enough members to hold a meeting, the new Vice President and the members of the retiring executive are wondering "where do we go from here?"

The Chamber is traditionally a busy organization. This past year, they have lobbied for the continuation of active treatment beds at the Elk Point Health Centre, for the formation of a community health council, and for the recruitment of an additional physician for the community. The Chamber has been the parent organization for the Happy Daze Car Show (in conjunction with the Elk Point Auto Club) and the Christmas Extravaganza, and has spearheaded the Rodeo Week Decorating Contest, the perennial Canada Day Pancake Breakfast and the Christmas Lighting and Decorating Contest, as well as operating the Tourist Information Centre during the summer months. Without a Chamber, there would be no appropriate body to perform many of these functions.

The Chamber is inviting all business owners and operators to a breakfast meeting on Wednesday, March 6 at 8:00 a.m. to discuss the future of the Chamber. Come and give your input on what YOU want the Chamber to be, when you would like the meetings to be held and how often, and what functions you would like to see the Chamber take on. The Chamber is buying coffee that morning, so drop down to the Empress and make your wishes known.

EPSRA concerned with liability

Elk Point Surface Rights Association held their annual meeting last Wednesday in Elk Point, with President Alban Bugej seeing the increased activity in the oil patch as both helpful and hazardous. "It could be helpful if the revenue is spent in the local area." Revenue from lease and access

payments has helped the farm economy, Bugej said, and as land values improve, so should access payments. However, he warned, "We don't want to lock ourselves into low priced leases when grain prices are going up."

One of the hazards to be faced is the influx of many

small oil companies, rather than the three major companies which were operating here when the Association was formed. "There are more players, and more complicated dealings," Bugej said.

Liability is another concern. "Leases were designed to protect the lessee, not the landowner." The final liability for environmental cleanup still rests with the landowner, Bugej said, and "farmers must be sure to include iron-clad clauses to protect themselves. The contracts circulating in this area don't include them, so

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Entrepreneurs' Showcase tonight

Entrepreneurs looking to increase business opportunities, to network and to introduce their products and services to potential clients will gather this evening in the Elks Hall for the St. Paul / Smoky Lake Business and Community Development Corporation's annual Entrepreneurial Showcase.

The event is open to the public from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Elk Point resident brings home more than just bacon

Elk Point's Alice Dreilick really knows how to bring home the bacon!

The mother of six and grandmother of nine drove her daughter to work at Home Town Grocers and ran in for a

pound of bacon and a couple of Scratch'N'Win lottery tickets.

"I had to go get my glasses!" recalls Alice after she scratched the \$1 Scratch'N'Win lottery ticket. The Western and revealed the game's top prize of \$25,000, adding, "I had to phone the store and tell my daughter."

When asked about her plans for her windfall, the Heritage

Lodge employee replied, "I'd like a bigger vehicle and a sectional sofa... if the price is right!"

The prize was claimed February 2.

Specials to leap for!

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Canada Day chairperson needed

Elk Point's Canada Day Committee is in need of a chairman, due to the resignation of Joe Brunner due to health reasons. Brunner has served as chairman for several years, and says the committee "runs very smoothly. I am sure a new chairman will find it easy to work with."

The committee will soon be reorganizing to start planning their 1996 event. Anyone interested in serving in this capacity, or in being on the planning committee, may call Shiela Nelson at 724-2583 for further details.

Community Calendar

Wondering what's happening in Elk Point and district in the coming weeks? Here is a brief rundown of some of the events scheduled.

Fri. March 1: Saddle Slickers Public Speaking, 7 p.m., Elementary School

Sat. March 9: Youth Talent Quest, F. G. Miller High School

March 9 -10: Elk Point Junior Bonspiel

Sat. March 16: District 4-H Speak-off

March 22, 23, 28, 29, 30: "Phantom of the Opry" Dinner Theatre

Sat. March 23: Bull Chutin' Classic, Fairgrounds Arena

If you would like to add you event to the listing, which is published when space permits, please call the Review at 724-4087 before 5 p.m. Thursday.

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FCSS believes in the value of the individual, the strength of the family, and the concept of people working together to achieve a healthy, supportive community. Our philosophy is "people helping people to help themselves." Some current services include: Meals on Wheels, Welcome Package, Playschool, Information Night, Elk Point Child Care Services, Information and Referral, Community TV Channel, family resource materials and workshops, community development... and more!

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The volunteer tax program is for those with straightforward income tax returns which do not include income from: capital gains or losses, farming income, rental income, self-employment, business or professional income, fishing income.

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Family Swim: Sat. and Sun. 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Adult Swim: Mon. through

Thurs. 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Aquacise: Mon., Wed. and Fri. Noon - 1:00 p.m.; Tues. and Thurs. 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. and 9:00 to 10:00 p.m., Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Information and schedules for youth programs, adult and youth lessons, fees, loonie swims, family days, and the healthy heart club are available in the FCSS office or by calling 645-3388.

VICTIM SERVICES UNIT

FCSS is working with the St. Paul and Area Victim Services Unit to assist in establishing an Elk Point branch. The Victim Services Unit is a team of trained volunteer advocates who work in conjunction with police offices to assist victims of crime or tragedy.

Advocates should have a

genuine interest in helping others, strong communication skills, be 18 years of age or older, mature, of good character and have the ability to respect confidential matters, a good driving record and access to a vehicle, and be able to commit 4 hours of time per month to the program.

Volunteer advocates receive formal training by community professionals in

interpersonal skills, crisis intervention, home security, the Criminal Justice system, bereavement, stress management and resource agency networking.

Volunteers are needed to represent Elk Point (either on the Board or as volunteers offering assistance in emergency support). If you are

interested in becoming a Volunteer Advocate, contact Deb Hiron (Victim Services office, 645-8858) or FCSS (724-3800).

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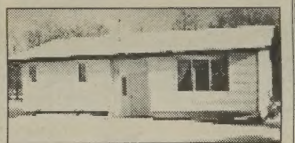
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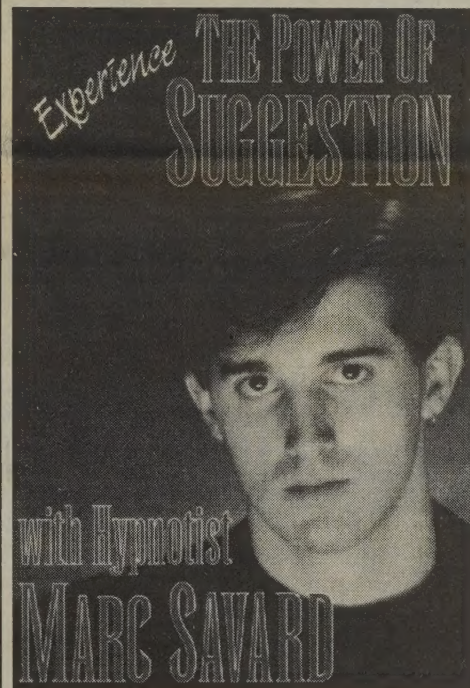
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View Points

Congratulations, Lions!

A quarter century is a long time, and a lot can happen in that time. Twenty five years ago, Elk Point had a much smaller population, and was primarily an agricultural community, with the Canadian Salt Plant the only real industrial operation in the area.

It was back in those days that a group of men decided to form a branch of one of the world's largest organizations. They held a candlelight ceremony and signed a charter to become the Elk Point and District Lions Club.

Then and now, their focus was on helping first their own community, and then the world surrounding it. They have made huge contributions of time and money, helping to get artificial ice installed in the arena, sponsoring a ball diamond in memory of a local cancer victim, and assisting with the annual Canada Day Parade, as well as running an annual Journey for Sight to help the vision challenged people around the world, and raising funds for the cancer society with an annual slowpitch tourney.

And then there are all the events and causes they donate funds to-- from major projects like the Golf Club's grass greens, to smaller but significant events like the F. G. Miller High School Awards and the First Night Festival.

They're a great group, and very deserving of the congratulations they received on their 25th Anniversary. Keep up the good work, Lions -- you're very much appreciated!



GERIATRIC CHAIRS FOR PARKVIEW — Thanks to Elk Point Hospital Auxiliary, residents of Parkview Extended Care now have two handsome new Geriatric wheelchairs to add to their comfort and mobility. The fully adjustable chairs were demonstrated to the Auxiliary members by Occupational Therapist Sal Conibear last Tuesday when they arrived at the facility. Here, Auxiliary member Irene Magnusson (left) and resident Blanche Falconer try out the chairs, while Auxiliary President Melvin McGinnis (front right), members (back row, left to right) Violet McFadyen, Adella Jennissen, Gloria Lecopoy, Wast Elashuk and Gunhild Nelson, Ms Conibear and Parkview staff member Carolyn Onusko look on.

4-H Awards



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE from the Alberta Treasury Branch were presented by Mel Ryks to (left to right) Peter Danyluk, Taralee Babenek and Robyn Danyluk. Robyn received a Gold award while Taralee and Peter received Bronze.

Dateline: Elk Point Health Centre

Occupational therapy: what it is and how it could help you

Most people do not know what Occupational Therapy can offer to their community. If they have even heard the name before, most assume that it relates to job performance or work relationships. In fact, the "occupation" part of Occupational Therapy refers to doing things, being active, and being able to live productive lives. The occupational therapist works with a client to see what is blocking that individual's ability to function in whatever area of their lives is affected.

Our focus on ability applies to people of all ages, from the infant who is having difficulties feeding or playing, to adults, to the frail senior who has difficulty getting around and needs a wheelchair in order to stay active in the community. Occupational Therapy can help people who have trouble doing things because of many reasons, for example: arthritis, strokes, hip or knee replacements, hand injury, carpal tunnel syndrome, and heel or foot pain, just to name a few. Clients may be seen as outpatients, inpatients, as long term care residents, or in their own homes.

The "how" of Occupational Therapy is just as varied. People recovering from a stroke are taught how to man-

age to take care of themselves with the use of one hand, how to cook meals or get dressed or cope with their jobs. Sometimes this involves using "aids" like long-handled shoe horns or button hooks. For individuals that have had a hip replacement, this involves learning how to dress or get around without bending too

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far at the hips. Wrist or foot pain, or injury, can often be helped with custom-made "orthotics" (braces, or supports, that assist function); an occupational therapist molds heat-sensitive plastics to position wrists, fingers, ankles — in fact to position any joint — in order to relieve pain, numbness or other symptoms. Ultimately, this helps a person to function during the day and sleep better at night. Individuals with heel pain can

sometimes benefit from special cushioning "orthotics" that fit in their shoes. Other types of "orthotics" are available, each of which is geared to help a specific type of problem. These are just a few examples of how an occupational therapist can help you or someone you know.

In short, Occupational Therapy helps people in three main ways: to learn skills they have never had, to relearn skills they may have lost, and to maintain skills that are at risk of being lost. As part of the Rehabilitation team, the occupational therapist often works together with physiotherapists, respiratory therapists and recreation therapists. We also work with nursing and medical staff, and always with you, the client.

Area 4 of the Lakeland Regional Health Authority has access to three occupational therapists at present: one working out of the Health Unit, one working primarily out of the Cold Lake Health Centre, and one working out of the Bonnyville Health Centre. Elk Point Health Centre has an occupational therapist on site one day per week. If you would like to know more about Occupational Therapy, please feel free to contact the health centre for more information.

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4-H Multi Club hosts huge speak-off

Elk Point 4-H Multi Club hosted their largest public speaking contest ever this past Sunday, with six senior members and 22 junior members presenting prepared and impromptu speeches to nine judges at the Seniors Recreation Centre.

Because of the huge lineup, speakers were divided into two lineups, with one set giving their prepared speeches in one room while the other set delivered their impromptu in another area.

After a full four hours of speeches, Senior judge Jim MacLellan said it was "very difficult to find faults at all." He and his fellow judges found "great potential in the speakers. Some wonderful dreams surfaced... it was very positive." Junior judge Laverne Wilson added that "the topics were great. I learned a lot today."

Topping the six Senior speakers to win the Alberta Treasury Branch award was Robyn Danyluk, who gave a thought provoking prepared speech on "Child Labor." David Naber, with a knowledgeable discourse on "Helicopters," placed second.

The Junior division winner of the Elk Point Review plaque was Monica Naber, whose informative speech on "Eyes"

was well received by judges and audience alike. Janelle Ryks, speaking on the interesting topic of "Weed Feed," placed second. All speakers received gifts from the club for their efforts.

Three Awards of Excellence from the Alberta Treasury Branch were also presented Sunday, with Bronze awards going to Taralee Babenek and Peter Danyluk and a Gold award to Robyn Danyluk, for their ongoing efforts with 4-H.

Karen Kendel, Olga Ockerman and Laverne Wilson judged the junior prepared speeches, while Gaby Bayduza, Gerry Ehler and Terri Ehler judged the junior impromptu. Jim MacLellan, Mona McGinnis and Irene Miller judged both prepared and impromptu speeches by the senior speakers.

Timer and teller duties were taken care of by Joanne Bespalko, Ellen Seward, Hazel Hannah and Lucille Smith. Peter Danyluk was Master of Ceremonies for the prepared speeches, while Marlene Ryks and Gail Havener shared the MC duties for the impromptu.

Mrs. Ryks, Mrs. Havener, Elaine Babenek, Lorraine Danyluk and Lee Wruth make up the Public Speaking Committee.

Thunder to host third annual Talent Quest

Excitement is rising among the talented young people of the Elk Point area, who have heard that the third annual Youth Talent Quest is coming to the F. G. Miller High School on March 9.

This is the third talent quest to be held in Elk Point. Last year's event provided excellent entertainment from 16 performers in the 13 to 21 age group who came from an area reaching from Glendon to Lloydminster. There were several singers, some dancers and an alternative rock band, all of whom gave great performances. Last year's performers will be contacted again, and we hope to have some new acts as well.

The Youth Talent Quest and the teen dance to follow are being hosted by the Midget Thunder hockey team. All proceeds will be used by the team to finance their bid for the

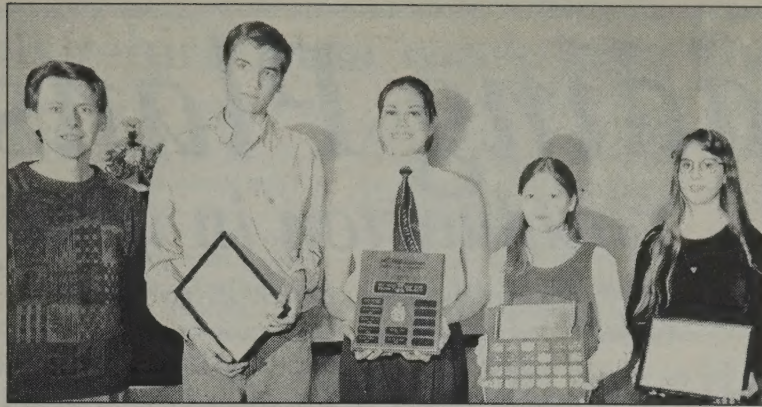
Midget C Provincial gold. Music for the dance will be provided by Travis Pankiw.

If you know someone in the age range who would like to perform, please have them contact someone from the Midget Thunder team. Entry forms and information will soon be available from Home Town Grocers and at all the local high schools.

Winter Games bronze for FGM student

Charise Kinneberg brought home a bronze medal in the Junior Women's Compound Archery category from the Alberta Winter Games in Lethbridge this past weekend.

The F. G. Miller Girls' Handball team also attended, and placed seventh in their competition.



PUBLIC SPEAKING WINNERS -- Shown with Mel Ryks of the Treasury Branch are (left to right) David Naber, 2nd Senior; Robyn Danyluk, Senior winner; Monix Naber, Junior winner and Janelle Ryks, 2nd Junior.



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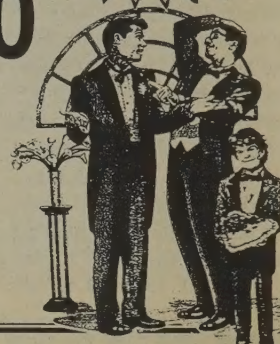
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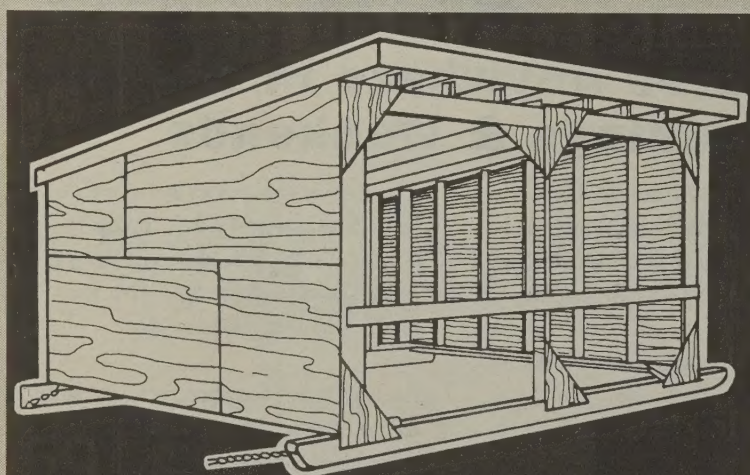
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F. G. Miller French students return from week-long Quebec visit

By Kelly Oszust

F. G. Miller Student Journalist

On February 6, the F. G. Miller French students in grades 9, 10 and 11, as well as Mrs. Pentek and Ms Smereka, travelled to Mont Rolland in Quebec to begin their French exchange.

F. G. Miller High School was

twinned with a school in Quebec through a program called SEVEC. The F. G. Miller students attended Ecole Secondaire Augustin-Norbert-Morine which has 1400 students. One student noted that their cafeteria is three times the size of our gym. During their stay, each student lived with a

host family and their exchange partner.

The area that they were visiting was a large tourist resort. It was stated that on a Friday night you could see miles of cars lined up coming from Montreal.

While in the eastern part of Canada, the students had a chance to travel to Montreal and see the Imap theatre and the Olympic stadium. They also toured Old Montreal and visited McGill University and St. Joseph Oratory. Next they ventured to Ottawa where they saw the Parliament Buildings, skated on Rideau Canal and viewed ice sculptures. Finally they visited Quebec City where they toured Old Quebec and saw the Chateau Frontenac.

While in Quebec, the French students had the opportunity to learn a lot about French culture, the language, and the French expressions in the different regions. It took a lot of hard work fundraising, but they all agree it was worthwhile. The trip was also subsidized by the

federal government. As well, the French class would like to thank all those who made donations.

On April 13 the Quebec students will travel to Elk Point to complete the exchange. They will be staying in Alberta until April 20.

Murder mystery at Heinsburg

By Fiona Daniels

Heinsburg Student Journalist

A seventeen year old boy has been murdered, and Heinsburg School students have been asked to help solve the crime. From February 19 until February 22, Heinsburg School library hosted a who-done-it murder mystery. Students and community members were asked to come in and test their detective skills in the "Rigor Mortis in Row Six" detective game.

At the beginning of the mystery, you are given a list of the possible suspects and then you are given the opportunity to examine all of the evidence and decide who you think committed the murder. Throughout the game, you get to play the role of the homicide detective, medical examiner and forensics expert.

One Grade 12 student commented that she really enjoyed it.

"I found it really interesting." The organizer of this activity, Kathy Botting, got the mystery game from the Science Centre in Calgary and is pleased with how well the students and community responded.

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Heinsburg Community School

A Head Custodian is required for the Heinsburg Community School to commence March 27, 1996. The successful candidate will be required to fulfill all duties to the operation, basic maintenance, and day-to-day janitation of the facility.

Complete resumes, including references, should be forwarded by March 11, 1996, to:

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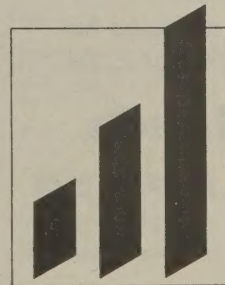
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Surface Rights concerned with liability

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they must be added." Bugej said that information regarding factors to be covered by these clauses "is there for the asking. There is no excuse to make bad deals."

One of the speakers originally scheduled for the meeting was unable to attend, so Bugej spoke in his behalf on the impact of the oil industry on cattle production. Highlights of the Alberta Cattle Commission's extensive 5 year study on the effect of the oil industry on livestock show that the effect goes back to the earliest days of the oil industry in Alberta. Back in the first oil boom in the early 1900s, a two day well blowout damaged surface water to such an extent that it killed ducks and fish, he reported.

Abandoned wells that can leak toxic substances into surrounding land, waste pits containing toxic substances and heavy metals, and contamination of the environment by spills and leaks of crude oil, pipeline ruptures, flaring of gas, and methods of disposal of water and drilling fluid were all concerns to livestock producers, Bugej said. Oil companies may want to spread drilling mud on leases, but "it can be leached to the subsoil

and aquifers, and... I don't think you could ever reclaim [the lease site]." Hydrocarbons, salt, chloride and heavy metals all have adverse effects on plant growth, Bugej said, adding that heavy metals are the biggest problem in this area, with a buildup from spreading oilfield waste on the roads. "It's a serious issue. They leach into ditches and fields."

Contamination of surface and groundwater aquifers have an environmental impact "not limited to a spill site," Bugej said. "They can reoccur in aquifers some time later, and groundwater flow can transfer them some distance."

Contaminants such as these can affect the animals themselves and the feed they eat, reaching animals through their eyes, skin and lungs as well as through oral ingestion. Bugej feels that the presence of contaminants can also induce conditions under which animals won't breed, will abort or produce offspring with birth defects. Sour gas poisoning, the possibility that selenium deficiency may be related to excesses of sulfur, and radioactivity are other concerns to the cattle industry.

Paul Vasseur, Assistant Farmers' Advocate, spoke on

landowners' liability regarding environmental contamination on well sites, and suggested it may be necessary to have oil companies post a bond for reclaiming these sites when the time comes. "Some oil companies set aside reclamation funds, but if these wells are taken over [by another company], these funds don't go with them." The Energy and Utilities Board is investigating these transfers, and won't transfer wells to companies without financial viability. The EUB also is mandating that companies must report suspended wells, and why they were suspended.

Regarding the taxation of wellsites, Vasseur said that under the Municipal Act, municipalities must assess wellsites as industrial property, and landowners are taxed accordingly. Requests by landowners to the oil companies for reimbursement of this amount are "not liked," Vasseur said. "It's driving a wedge between industry and agriculture. The government is looking at this now, because the oil companies are asking why [the assessment was changed]"

The seismic industry has not only applied for reduction of distance from buildings, but wants automatic access to grazing leases without paying the lessee. Vasseur says the industry and government "are getting flak about it."

Drilling waste disposal is undergoing stringent criteria, with only one percent natural hydrocarbons and no heavy metal content allowed in waste being spread. Also, new techniques are being developed for abandonment of downhole

wells, Vasseur said.

Regarding legislation for permanent conservation easements, Vasseur said that while the landowner can put this restrictive covenant onto land, "his heirs can be hung with it 50 years from now. It's hard to get out of, but is assignable" to other owners. "And even under this, the owner of the mineral rights on the property can mine it or put wells on it. It's what [advocates of conservation areas] don't say that has me concerned."

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An Assistant Caretaker is required for the F.G. Miller Jr./Sr. High School in Elk Point. The successful candidate will be required to fulfill all outlined duties pertaining to the operation, basic maintenance, and day-to-day janitation of the facility. The position commences April 01, 1996 for 4.25 hours per day from approximately 3:15 to 7:30 p.m. at a wage of \$8.55 per hour.

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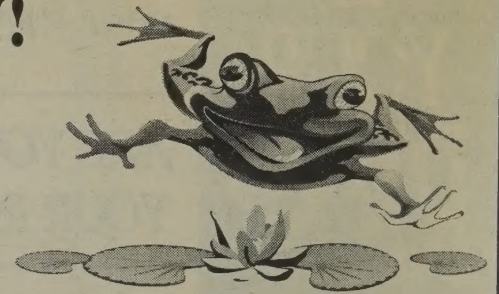
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Nomination forms and further information are available from Alberta Agriculture, phone 645-6301 or the County Office, phone 645-3301.

The nomination deadline is March 22, 1996.

What's news at the library?

Local author's work appears in "Chickadee"

By Michele Duczek
Librarian

There's exciting news on the local literary front! A few months ago, Elk Point native Billie Milholland sold a short story to Chickadee magazine. For months I've been scanning each new issue for her work. The story appeared in the January 1996 issue which was the only issue not to arrive in the two years I've been here (What are the odds of that happening?) Last week I called the folks at Chickadee and they were very prompt in sending a copy of the missing issue. Billie's story, with illustrations by Mireille Levert, appears on page 20 and is called "One Size Fits All." It's a great story.

Pioneer Circle bingo

February 5, 1996

Helga Vaughan \$15, Kirby Smith \$15, Margaret Gladue \$30, Kirby Smith \$15, Marg Clark \$15, Sophia Stamp \$30, Olga Bayrock \$30, Olga Melnyk \$30, David Moss \$30, Gladys Calliou \$30, Florence Demchuk \$30, Marg Clark \$15, Pearl Anderson \$15, Karen Drielich \$30, Dalys Osguthorpe \$30, Phyllis Zarowny \$30, Gladys Calliou \$30, Sherry Pelech \$15, Mary Diesel \$15, Karen Drielich \$56, Neil Whelan \$23, Pearl Anderson \$34, Barbara Milholland \$25, Darlene Lalonde \$25, Anna Cardinal \$93, Lil Sass \$17, Rose Soloway \$17, Viola Yarmuch \$17, Bob Whelan \$17, James Moosepayo \$33, Ann Sheplawy \$33, Clyde Diesel \$33.

February 12, 1996

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See Page 12 for Feb. 19 winners.

More stuff for the junior set: Juvenile series:

Mary Ann has a hard time dealing with the sudden death of a friend in **Mary Ann and the Memory Garden** from Baby-sitters Club.

Karen borrows a pin from her stepsister without asking permission and then loses it in the snow in **Karen's Big Sister** from Baby-sitters Little Sister.

A favorite horse develops behavioral problems that can only be corrected if all club members pitch in to help in **Pleasure Horse** from The Saddle Club.

Jessica has fallen in love with the leader of a violent gang from a rival school and

Elizabeth's boyfriend has been arrested after a school dance turns violent in **The High School War** from Sweet Valley High.

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ty.

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Mardi Gras is a French term meaning Fat Tuesday and arose from the custom of parading a fat ox through the streets of Paris on Shrove Tuesday.

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St. Vladimirs' Ukrainian

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NEARTA meets

On February 20th, members of the North East Alberta Retired Teachers' Association met for their regular meeting and lunch at the

Corfou Restaurant in St. Paul. Guest speaker Paul Boisvert presented interesting information about the Senior Games to be held in St. Paul in July. The June meeting of NEARTA will be held in Grand Centre.

Gospel concerts gaining popularity

Gospel concerts are becoming more and more popular as people are drawn from all over. They come for an evening of relaxation and enjoyment, while receiving spiritual fulfillment, as the "Songbirds" put their gift of music to practice singing the praises of God's love.

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Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

T.O.P.S. meets every Wednesday, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m., Old Courthouse, west door, Elk Point.

"New To Town" FCSS would like to welcome and familiarize new families with the services and programs available in town. Welcome packages contain a community directory, volunteer directory, coupons, maps and more! Call 724-3800 for more information or drop by 4902 - 51 Street.

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The Elk Point Legion now meets on the 2nd Tues. of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors' Centre.

Elk Point Auto Club - meets at the Empress Restaurant, Elk Point, the 2nd Wednesday of each month. More information call: Ed Smith at 724-2527.

Elk Point Olettes regular meeting is the 1st Thursday of the month. For more information, call Fay at 724-2036.

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Thunder to host League playoffs

After finishing their regular season this weekend with four wins in four days, the Elk Point Thunder have a record of 13 wins, six losses and three ties for the season. Finishing in

fourth spot in the North Division, the Thunder will be hosting the North East Alberta Midget League playoffs this coming weekend.

The top four teams in the

north division and the top four in the south division will come to Elk Point to play in the three day event which will be played in a provincial format.

Along with Thunder, teams from Kitscoty, Vermilion and Turtleford represent the north. The teams from Viking, Consort, Provost and Coronation will represent the south division. This will, without a doubt, be some of the best hockey to come to Elk Point so be sure to come out and watch the action.

Thunder's first game will be at 11:30 a.m. Friday morning against the first place Turtleford Tigers, a big physical team with good goaltending. The Thunder was the only team in the league to defeat the Tigers, in close contest with a score of 2-1. Thunder's second game will be Friday night at 7:00 p.m. against the south division's second place team from Consort. Thunder's final game of round robin play will be at 11:30 a.m. Saturday when they meet Coronation, the third place team in the south division. Come down to the Thunderdome for the pancake breakfast Saturday morning and cheer on the hometown boys.

Now for the rest of the story.

Thursday night the Thunder took to the ice against Grand Centre. The first period saw excellent goaltending by Thunder veteran Geoff Mehedyn and no scoring until 4:43 when Loren Kozicky scored his first of two for the night. In the second period, the Thunder opened things up when Brad Pankiw scored at 18:57 all alone on a breakaway, followed by speedy centreman Ferlin Quinney, who had a four point night, scoring twice and adding two assists. The final in this contest, 8-3 for the Thunder. Other goals were by Clayton Cardinal, Kristin Holthe and Chris Berlinguette.

Friday night the Thunder played a close game, defeating Mannville 6-4. Halfway through the first period, captain Kristin Holthe scored on a power play. Thunder took a two goal lead with Clayton Cardinal's backhand. Mannville added one before James Yake the Snake scored, making it 3-1 after one period. In the second, Mannville came out flying, scoring twice in 14 seconds to tie the game before Marty Bendixen scored on a wicked slapshot. In the third period, BJ Tucker made some awesome saves between the pipes, holding the Thunder in the game before Clayton Cardinal scored his second on a power play and Chris Berlinguette added one to make the final 6-4.

Saturday afternoon the Thunder travelled to Vegreville

to take on the Wranglers in a onesided event that saw the Thunder come out on top 12-2, led by big winger Derek Cusack, who scored a hat trick in this action packed battle.

Sunday afternoon, the Thunder hosted Lloydminster Blazers, a team who defeated the Thunder 4-3 in early February, but who were not so lucky in this contest. Halfway through the first, Loren Kozicky scored on a deflection off captain Kristin Holthe's slapshot. Then, with only 16 seconds left in the first, Rene the Gazoo deMoissac scored, giving the Thunder a 2 goal lead. In the second, big centreman Loren Kozicky scored his second of the game and the workhorse Marty Bendixen added one on the power play. The final in this one: 4-2 in favor of the Thunder.



ELK POINT MIXED BONSPIEL GRAND CHALLENGE -- The Doug and Doreen Berg Memorial trophies were presented by Lorn Berg to (left to right) Kevin and Jeannette Ford, Cal Tetz and Sandy Nelson, winners over (front, l-r) Leonard Gadowski, Sharlene and Doug Rutherford and Shaina Gadowski.



SECOND EVENT -- The BJ Trucking trophies were presented by Leonard Gadowski to (left to right) Roland Joly, Bonnie Smyl Joly, Vern and Brenda Goad, who won over (front, l-r) Terry Gusnowski, Arlene Bristow, Fred Lambright and (not shown) Kathy Gusnowski.



THIRD EVENT-- The Peter Yewchin Memorial trophies were presented by Leonard Gadowski to (left to right) Milton and Stella Lorenson, Fred and Janet Lawrence, who edged out (front, l-r) Paige and Margaret White, Roger Amyotte and Joanne Ference.

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February 19, 1996

Mary Fortin \$30, Patsy Zarowny \$30, Mike Stuparyk \$45, Dina Leaf \$45, Mary Prusak \$45, Sam Barstad \$75, Debbie Orr \$30, Zelma Krucik \$15, Kirby Smith \$15, Percy Best \$30, Mary Bugera \$30, Pearl Slywka \$30, Helen Trach \$30, Pat Lavallee \$48, Mary Bugera \$20, Lucy Smereka \$29, Alex Smereka \$50, Ida Maksymec \$84, Kirby Smith \$28, Deanna Pinder \$56, Viola Yarmuch \$14, Patsy Zarowny \$42.